

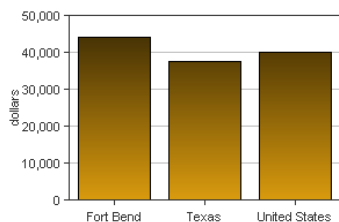
# Fort Bend, Texas

Fort Bend is one of 254 [counties](#) in Texas. It is part of the [Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown, TX \(MSA\)](#). Its 2008 population of 532,609 ranked 10th in the state.

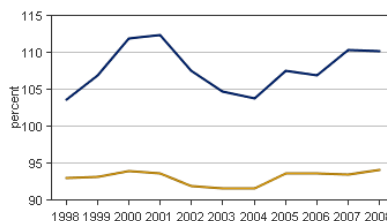
## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2008 Fort Bend had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$44,265. This PCPI ranked 11th in the state and was 117 percent of the state average, \$37,809, and 110 percent of the national average, \$40,166. The 2008 PCPI reflected an increase of 1.8 percent from 2007. The 2007-2008 state change was 2.6 percent and the national change was 2.0 percent. In 1998 the PCPI of Fort Bend was \$28,253 and ranked 15th in the state. The 1998-2008 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.1 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

Per Capita Personal Income, 2008



Per Capita Income as a Percent of the United States, 2008



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## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

	2007-08 percent change	1998-2008 AAGR
Fort Bend	6.7 %	9.8 %
Texas	4.6 %	6.0 %
U.S.	2.9 %	5.0 %

*AAGR: average annual growth rate*

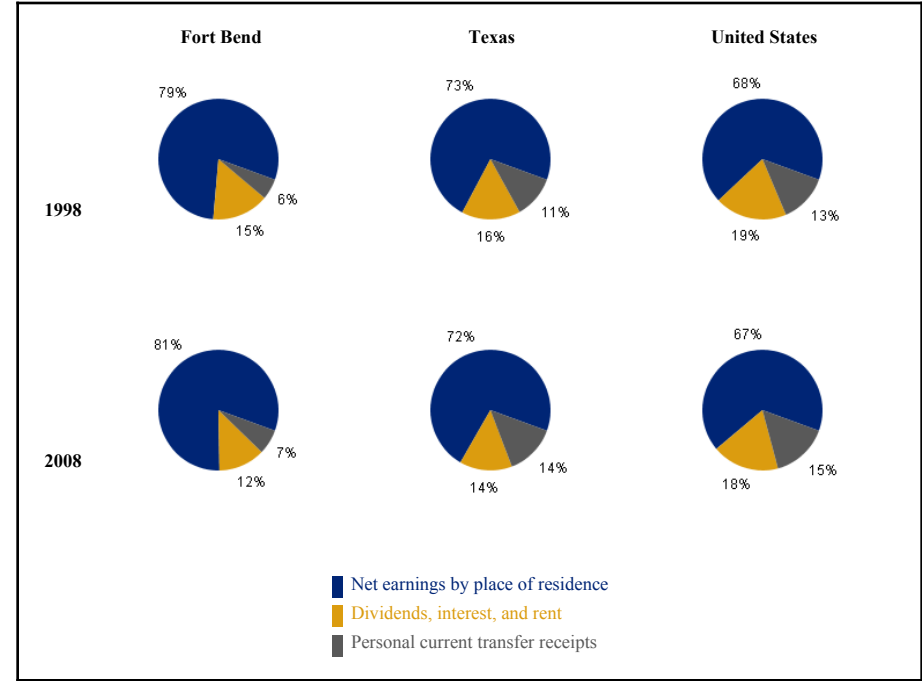
In 2008 Fort Bend had a total personal income (TPI) of \$23,575,848\*. This TPI ranked 8th in the state and accounted for 2.6 percent of the state total. In 1998 the TPI of Fort Bend was \$9,266,677\* and ranked 9th in the state.

\*Note: Total personal income estimates are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Fort Bend.

Percent Contribution to Total Personal Income



2007-2008 percent change			
	Fort Bend	Texas	U.S.
Net earnings	7.4 %	4.6 %	2.0 %
Dividends, interest, and rent	- 1.0 %	- 0.1 %	1.3 %
Personal current transfer receipts	14.0 %	10.2 %	9.2 %

1998-2008 average annual growth rate			
	Fort Bend	Texas	U.S.
Net earnings	10.0 %	5.9 %	4.8 %
Dividends, interest, and rent	7.6 %	5.0 %	4.2 %
Personal current transfer receipts	12.0 %	7.8 %	6.7 %